Wk 6	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Task 1	**Watch** our Phonics video introduce the sound 'ow'	Use the BBC Bitesize website to recap and consolidate phase 2 phonics sounds. https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zf2yf4j	**Watch** our Phonics video to recap and consolidate the sounds learnt so far	Play Spooky Sounds with set 1-7 sounds. http://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/spookySounds/index.html	**Watch** our Phonics video introduce the sound 'ar'
Task 2	Locate China on a map/atlas/google earth. Find out some interesting facts about China. You could do your own research or look though one of our powerpoints. Did you know china has the largest population on the world? Population is the amount of people living somewhere. China is in the continent of Asia. England is in Europe, there are 7 continents in the world. The Great Wall of China stretches 5,500 miles! Giant Pandas live in China.	**Watch** us read the story of Chinese New Year You can also see the story on this link https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/stories/lets-celebrate-chinesenewyearperformance Using the Chinese Zodiac Calendar, find out what animal year you were born in. Draw a picture of that animal and write a simple caption 'I was born in the year of the …'	As well as the animals mentioned in the race, there is another animal that is really important to China. The Giant Panda is the National Animal of China. **Watch** Miss Sharp show you how to write a Panda Fact File. You can watch some Giant Pandas live on the Edinburg zoo website https://www.edinburghzoo.org.uk/webcams/panda-cam/ And for fun https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D7xWXk5T3-g	**Watch** us read the Magic Paint Brush. What would you paint? Can you write a caption for your picture?	China celebrate the Luna New Year. In England we tend to celebrate the Solar New Year, the time it take the earth to orbit the sun, 365 days. The Luna New Year follows 12 full cycles of the moon, roughly 354 days. This year Chinese New Year is on Friday 12th February 2021. Watch these clips to find out how a Chinese family prepare for and celebrate Chinese new year. https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/watch/chinese-new-year Can you make some decorations to hang at home to celebrate Chinese new year? Can you create a greetings card to send to someone?

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Task 3	**Watch Miss Hing-** <u>Play a counting and building game</u> Each player takes turns to roll the die. They count the spots on the die (try to look at the dots and say what number it is without counting) and take that number of blocks from the pile. They build a tower with the blocks. The aim of the game is to be the first with a tower of ten bricks. Play the game doing lots of counting and talking about who has the highest/lowest tower, the difference between the towers in blocks (two more/less, how many more to have the same number, etc.) <u>Extension-</u> Change the target number. First to 20. Have two dice and include adding the totals in the game. Play the game on squared paper, drawing or colouring the squares to make tower pictures.	**Watch Miss Hing-** <u>Estimating game</u> Your child takes a handful of dried beans/Lego™ bricks/counters/beads. They hold their fist tightly closed! They estimate how many they have. Now count matching each brick to the spoken number. How many did you guess? How many were there? Have another turn. Were your guesses better? Complete this 6 times <u>Extension</u> Estimate and then count how many in the two handfuls together.	**Watch Miss Hing-** <u>How many books long?</u> You need about 10 picture books and fat felt-tips and paper **What to do-** Ask your child to lie down. Place books along the length of your child. The books must touch but not overlap. How many books make the same length as the child? They write how many books make their length e.g *Amit is 6 books long* Now you lie on the floor and ask the child to lay books along your length. The books must touch but they must not overlap. When the child has matched your length with picture books, ask then to count these very carefully. Get up without disturbing the books and count with them to check. Write your length in books. *Mum is 10 books long* Try using books to measure items around the house e.g tables Are they longer than you?	**Watch Miss Hing-** Play First to ten You need numbered cards 1 to 10. Also a timer – one on a phone/ipad will do. Place cards number side down and scatter them around the table Set the timer. When you press 'start', your child must turn over their cards and arrange them in a line, 1 to 10. Stop the clock when they finish. They check their line. Are the numbers in the right order? Practise doing this several times. What is your fastest time? Now try the same activity but this time you have to lay out the numbers backwards, from 10 down to 1. What is your fastest time laying them counting backwards? <u>Extension-</u> Use cards upto 30 <u>Maths task 2 -</u> Explain that you are going to set some garden records. Choose a piece of equipment and demonstrate a challenge, e.g. *How many jumps can you do in 10 seconds?* Ask your child to be in charge of counting aloud while you time for ten seconds (*this can be counting in your head if you don't have a timer app*). Ask your child to tell you how many jumps you did and make a record of this – or ask them to write the number for you. Explain that this is a record they are going to try to break. Repeat the process and see if they can beat your record. Now swap roles. Try records like: *Most ball throws in 10 seconds* *Most jumps over a skipping rope* *Most runs around the garden* Encourage lots of counting and discussion about the numbers recorded.	**<u>Watch Miss Hing-</u>** <u>Shape hunt</u>- Explain that you are going to be going on a shape hunt looking for 2D (flat) shapes. Talk about the different shapes that you might see - *this is more a warm-up than to test shape knowledge.* Go on the shape hunt, spotting, describing and identifying the shapes that you can see. You could do this on a walk (*pavements, houses and signs have lots of potential for spotting*) or around your home. Record the shapes you spot by drawing them on the Shape Hunt sheet on the website Not all the shapes will be traditionally mathematical shapes (*like triangle, square, circle,* etc.). It is fine to have heart, star and moon shapes etc.

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	Can they write the number sentences each time e.g If I had 1 brick and rolled a 6 I would write – 1+6=7				

Task 4	Chinese ribbon dancing is a traditional art form that originates in ancient China. Using rhythmic movements and long colorful ribbons, dancers perform to traditional Chinese music. Watch a Chinese Ribbon Dance performance https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nCJZYskdoiw Join in with the tutorial https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mrT5cmaEuI8 you will need some ribbons, scarfs or light fabric to wave. Create your own dance!	Chinese Lions and Dragons symbolise strength and bravery. They are thought to chase away the bad. That is why they are celebrated and used to perform dances at Chinese new year. https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/watch/lets-go-club-chinese-lion-dance?collection=chinese-lunar-new-year Have a go at making your own Chinese dragon. You can make one like this https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/makes/chinese-hand-dragon?collection=chinese-lunar-new-year Or use the print out from the documents uploaded.	Watch the Go Jetters visit China https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b074vz7d/go-jetters-series-1-11-the-great-wall-of-china https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b09s3kq5/go-jetters-series-2-28-wolong-panda-reserve-china https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b07fy1sw/go-jetters-series-1-21-the-forbidden-city-china https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b08d5z91/go-jetters-series-1-41-hong-kong-china	The people of China speak in a language called Chinese. There are many variants of Chinese, Mandarin is commonly spoken. Watch these children show you how to count Mandarin Chinese while they play hop scotch. https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/zt3hfg8 https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/watch/lingo-show-weisong1 Can you say any Mandarin words? Nin hao	The Chinese Language also has its own alphabet and letter characters. Look at this website for some examples of well know children's books read and written in Chinese. https://www.pandatree.com/story_time Use the Chinese number tracks to have a go at writing some Chinese numbers,
Task 5	Have a go at cooking some Chinese food. You may want to try a simple, healthy vegetable stir fry, noodles or maybe some egg fried rice. For the more adventurous cook, here are some recipes https://www.kidspot.com.au/kitchen/recipes/collections/chinese-recipes You could create a Chinese menu and play Chinese restaurant role play, There are some resources in the files to support this.				

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	Other Resources to support Chines New Year project: https://chinesenewyear.net/ https://www.eyalliance.org.uk/celebrating-chinese-new-year-ideas-and-activities-early-years-settings https://www.teachingideas.co.uk/global-geography/chinese-new-year-resources